



Agribusiness Department Head

The College of Agriculture, Food & Environmental Sciences at California Polytechnic State University (Cal Poly) in San Luis Obispo, California, is seeking a dynamic leader for its Agribusiness Department.

The Agribusiness Department Head will start no later than September 1, 2021. This is a full-time, 12-month, associate/full professor tenure-track position that will provide leadership for all programmatic and administrative functions including instruction, research, and alumni and industry engagement. The department head leads a talented team of 12 tenure-track faculty members, one full-time lecturer and three staff members who engage with approximately 550 undergraduate students.

This position will provide leadership for the Agribusiness Department in the following areas:

- Department's instructional programs
- Faculty and staff hiring, development, mentoring and workload
- Academic advising for undergraduate students
- Program assessment
- Development and implementation of strategic plan and goals for department
- Development of external funds and advancement
- Management of budget, facilities, and departmental resources
- Diversity, equity, and inclusion efforts which include addressing the needs of underrepresented minority and first-generation students

The successful candidate will also teach courses as needed. In balance with the teaching and administrative responsibilities, the successful candidate is expected to participate in scholarly activities (i.e., research, publishing, grant writing) as part of professional development. It is also expected that the successful candidate will supervise senior project students and teams, and participate in University, College and Departmental activities.

For more detailed information, including the link to apply, please visit <https://jobs.calpoly.edu/en-us/job/497806/department-head-agribusiness>